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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Raj K. Singh, et al

Serial No.:

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For:

**CUSTOMIZABLE SIMULATION MODEL OF AN ATM/SONET** 

FRAMER FOR SYSTEM LEVEL VERIFICATION AND

PERFORMANCE CHARACTERIZATION

**Group Art Unit:** 

2123

Examiner:

Thangavelu, Kandasamy

## PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

- This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to the Office Communication mailed on January 13, 2004, for a period of 2 months.
- Applicant is other than a small entity.

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		three months	\$ 950.00
		four months	\$1,450.00
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		has been filed.	
5.	Fee Payment		
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Date	: June 14, 2004		Respectfully submitted,  Respectfully submitted,  Respectfully submitted,  Respectfully submitted,
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